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Community Club Meets

The Strathmore Community Club, which has been in session during the summer, met in the Memorial Hall dining room on Monday evening. There was an attendance of about twenty-five.

Mr. John Mackenzie, president of the club, presided.

Memorial Hall
The business first taken up was the completion of the interior of the Memorial Hall in time for winter and a committee consisting of Messrs. Davidson, Van Tighem, and Fox was appointed to see to it.

Mr. Douglas French, President of the G.W.V.A., explained the position in which the Hall Fund stood at the present time, and that it would be impossible to use the building during the winter unless it was plastered.

Skating and Curling
The question of a provision of a skating and curling rink for the coming winter was taken up.

The sending of a petition to the town council asking them to call for a vote on a debenture to be issued, was proposed, but after some discussion, it was thought that the time would be too short to have a necessary meeting for a vote taken before the meeting. Dr. Gilpin proposed that the Council be approached for the use of some of the vacant lots belonging to the town, and to have these levelled off before the freeze-set. This became the finding of the meeting, and a committee was appointed to look out a suitable location and bring the matter before the Council.

Dr. Gilpin Appointed Secretary
A letter was read from Mr. Cranbrook resigning as secretary, the resignation was accepted with regret, and on motion Dr. A. W. Gilpin was elected secretary for the balance of the present year.

It was decided to hold the regular meetings in the Community Hall on the third Monday of each month, and these to take the form of a supper first, followed by a business meeting, and then possibly a card party or dance occasionally.

A vote of thanks was passed in the ladies of the G.W.V.A. expressed their preparing supper to the club. The supper was very much enjoyed.

The matter of a new bank was taken up, but it was decided after considerable discussion, that the club could not make any more in this matter, as the bank would be more influenced by promises of actual support than by resolutions.

Several other matters of local interest were discussed prior to the moving of the adjournment.

Next Meeting
The next meeting of the club will be held on Monday, September 13, and it is hoped to have a larger attendance than on this week's meeting. In the evening the club is open to any resident of Strathmore, town and district, but attendance is given more important than the payment of membership fees.

Town of Strathmore, Alberta
WATER RECOVERY ACT

Notice is hereby given that certain lands have been notified by the Town of Strathmore, on account of non-payment of taxes, and the same are offered for redemption with interest on the 30th day of November 1921.

Any person who wishes to redeem the lands of the said lands must apply to the Town of Strathmore, or to the Municipal Engineer, within the said time, and the same shall be a certificate of title to the purchaser of such lands. A list of said lands can be seen in the Alberta Gazette of date September 15.

Dated at the Town of Strathmore, Alberta, this 27th day of August, 1921.
P. H. LILLY, Treasurer.

Livestock Situation Is Being Met By Government

The serious livestock situation which has continued for the farmers of Canada through the imposition of the Furby tariff, as a culmination of the rapid drop in price of the past six months, has resulted in Government intervention for the assistance of the cattlemen.

Arrangements have been made for advances of up to \$150,000 through the banks to enable the farmers to keep their stock and also to pay feed where necessary.

The following action taken by the situation appears in the Calgary Herald of the 26th. The Herald has conducted an energetic campaign which has resulted in much publicity throughout the Dominion for relief for the cattlemen, and Mr. C. W. Brown, of Calgary, also was prominent in drawing attention to the subject.

The depth to which the cattlemen are in a desperate position is such that the Government is called upon to take action to relieve the situation.

The measures being taken by the government for the relief of the livestock industry provide not only for advances by banks to enable farmers to keep their stock, but arrangements will be made for suitably equipped ships for carrying cattle to Great Britain.

It is pointed out here that when the United States market began to wobble, Canadian cattle, cattle ships on the Canadian ports largely went out on the route across the Atlantic. This is the only way in which the cattle can be sold.

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CRAGGIER NEWS

Threshing started last week. Mr. Chris Stevenson being the first to start.

Mr. H. Grant is moving his family to Calgary to live. It is a little too far to go to school here in the winter time for them.

Mr. E. B. Robson, watermaster, Crowsfoot, takes a great interest in the irrigated crops, and is delighted to make one of his friends around in the town.

The road south of Crowsfoot is possible now, the road map having been put out in time to help the farmers to improve some of the other parts before being called in.

Mrs. A. A. Campbell, wife of the former manager of the Denominational Press, is spending a few days here with friends in town, and attended the Vets dance on Friday evening.

Ardenode Notes

On account of the busy season, the local meeting of the U.F.W.A. was postponed for a month and will be resumed on Wednesday, September 7th at the home of Mrs. Thompson.

The last meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Haaseth. Although all the members were unable to get there, those present certainly had an enjoyable time.

Work is now being done by the club at the blunders.

Mr. J. Henderson is on the link at Mr. Dawson and family and Mr. O. H. Booth and family reported a good time at lunch.

Mr. J. Booth, along with Mr. P. Austin and Mrs. Shannon, returned to Calgary last Thursday on a business trip.

Look out for wedding bells. Good luck to George.

Mrs. Carl Bantley has returned from a visit to her parents in the States.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Koch are expected to leave from St. Louis.

B. Flemer was in Calgary for the night.

Mr. Schoy and son, Billy, also Mr. W. A. Freeman, returned from Calgary to witness the trials. They also enjoyed the trip.

A Winnipeg teacher was dismissed because of a certain speech, which the members of the school board described as atheistic.

The best thing is to let the cabinet ministers who will have to stand in election to get in by acclamation and get busy on their new duties. And when the time comes for amendments to the election act, a change might be made making the practice of returning for reelection unnecessary.

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The condition of the crops has shown much improvement, and in some cases wheat is expected to go as high as forty bushels to the acre. While this is not by any means an average yet there is a considerable number of crops that from appearances should go over thirty bushels on summer fallow.

In the hatched sector of the field in progress, and except in the places where grain was completely killed out, there will be some yield.

We invite reports from farmers and threshers on the crop yield. This is the only way in which the facts on the crop, throughout the district can be known and published.

A considerable amount of harvest help has been imported, and the phone are made that some of the employed in Calgary are receiving jobs at \$2.50 per day and board. Farmers, however, will not pay any more than their own, except for men whom they can place reliably.

SUCCESSFUL DANCE
An enjoyable and successful dance was held under the auspices of Strathmore G.W.V.A. in the Memorial Hall on Friday evening. There was a good attendance. Good music was supplied by Watson's three-piece orchestra.

Mrs. French and Mrs. Fox, of the Ladies Auxiliary of the G.W.V.A., are looking after the supper, while Mr. Joe Whyte was in charge of the cash.

The G.W.V.A. intend to hold a dance on the evening of Labor Day, September 5th.

Three Government officials were in town on Monday looking up matters for payment of sales tax, etc.

Funeral of the Late Mr. W. E. McLaggan

The funeral of the late Mr. W. E. McLaggan, who died suddenly, at 10:30 p.m. last night, at his home on August 22nd, took place on Thursday, August 25th. Services took place at the home at noon, and thereafter the burial party left for Calgary.

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At the graveside were conducted by Rev. A. D. Currie, while the funeral arrangements were efficiently supervised by Mr. C. W. Chase.

Twenty-six wreaths were laid on the coffin, and the widow and daughter were the recipients of much kindly sympathy.

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Weather Report

August 23rd to 29th

Supplied by C. P. Irrigation Dept.	Max.	Min.	Precipitation.
23	79.0	28.5	
24	72.0	42.8	
25	71.0	37.8	
26	74.0	36.0	
27	78.0	28.0	
28	80.5	19.0	
29	81.0	29.0	

Winnipeg Beach



Winnipeg Beach, Manitoba, is an ideal summer resort. The beach is one of the best and safest in North Western Canada. Thousands of Winnipeg, Fargo and other people from Central Canada spend their summer vacation there. The public grounds are ideal, shaded with the softest and most comfortable, and equipped with tables for picnicking. The beach is open all day, and water available at all times. The grounds are laid out in such a manner as to be able to take care of the very best in soft drinks, confectionery, etc., and sold at Winnipeg prices.

The Convivial Carrot

A newspaper announces that a certain recentist, "who has been especially persistent in his efforts to induce and examine vitamins, has been treating carrots with alcohol."

A cry of protest has arisen against the professor's disgusting lack of common sense, and a society for the promotion of total abstinence among edible roots is about to be formed.

We are unable to directly quarrel with the new movement. We agree that over-indulgence in alcohol is bad, whether for man, woman, child, animal, vegetable or mineral, but until it is shown that the learned gentleman who has treated carrots with liquor to such an extent as to make them inedible, we shall continue to believe that the bounds of moderation were not in this instance exceeded. We see no objection, whether on moral or on sanitary grounds, to a man taking a carrot into his club or to a respectable bar, and treating it whenever he feels so inclined. There is no objection even on legal grounds, for it should be remembered that the No Draining Order was withdrawn some time ago.

We do not overlook the danger of moderation developing into intemperance. Let us admit quite frankly that the carrot which today imbues a reasonable quantity of alcohol retards and shows no trace of its initial gence beyond a slightly heightened complexion may, if wanting in restraint, on some future occasion commit the fault of taking too much and roll home with untended gait, a Bacchanalian once upon its smiling lips. But even so we do not apprehend the consequences as sometimes result from similar conduct on the part of a human being. We do not suppose for a moment that a carrot in such a state would, for instance, beat its own wife or interfere with a police constable while in possession of his duty, or the carrot is of all creatures notoriously quiescent and inoffensive. Whatever sort of stew it may find itself in it may be relied upon to observe itself passively.

We would commend the scientist's hospitality. A man whose unacquaintedness allows him to include carrots among his boon companions is to be encouraged. And if he rewarded for his generosity by getting a few vitamins out of his little vegetable friends we have no hesitation in asserting that he richly deserves them.

Punch, London.

Municipal District of Keoma, No. 249.

BY-LAW NO. 21.

A By-law of the Municipal District of Keoma, No. 249, to provide for the enforcement of the By-laws of the Municipal District.

The Council of the Municipal District of Keoma, No. 249, moves as follows:

(1) That any person or persons found in violation of any By-law of the Municipal District of Keoma No. 249, for which no other penalty is provided, shall upon summary conviction thereof be liable to pay a penalty not exceeding \$100.00 and costs for every offence, and that in default of payment thereof, it shall be lawful for the Justice committing to sentence the offender or offenders against the by-law to imprisonment, with or without hard labor for a period not exceeding thirty days, unless the said penalty and costs including the costs of counsel, be sooner paid.

(2) All fines imposed for the violation of any By-law of the said Municipal District shall unless otherwise provided be paid over to the Treasurer of said Municipal District for the benefit of the same.

DONE and passed in Council assembled at the Municipal Office, this 11th day of October, 1920.

W. M. GALLOWAY, Reeve.
W. W. FOWERS, Secretary.

Approved as provided for by Sub-section 2, of Section 192 of the Municipal District Act.
(Signed) C. R. MITCHELL,
Minister of Municipal Affairs.

Municipal District of Keoma, No. 249.

BY-LAW NO. 22.

A By-law of the Municipal District of Keoma, No. 249, to prevent the damage or obstruction of any road, lanes, or other public places within this Municipal District of Keoma, No. 249, by irrigation water.

The Council of M. D. Keoma, No. 249 enacts as follows:

(1) No person shall personally by his servant or agent, cause irrigation water to damage or obstruct any highway, lane alley, or other public place within this Municipality.

(2) Any person convicted of breach of this By-law shall be liable to the penalties imposed by the By-law providing for the enforcement of the By-laws of the Municipal District of Keoma, No. 249.

DONE and passed in Council assembled at the Municipal Office this 11th day of October, 1920.

W. M. GALLOWAY, Reeve.
D. W. FOWERS, Secretary.

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NEXT WEEK WITH THE CHURCHES

UNION CHURCH SERVICES
Rev. Theo. Philips, S. T. L., Pastor.
If a member, duty calls you.

If a non-church goer, this invites you. It is a stranger's, a church home for you. Services at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Mr. J. W. Sinclair will take charge of about service.

Sunday School at 12 a.m. Lesson Acts 15-16.
HERVEY—2.30 p.m. Public worship. Mr. J. W. Sinclair will conduct the service.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
Services every Sunday at 11 a.m.
Rev. M. F. MURPHY.

ST. MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS' CHURCH
Holy Communion 1st and 3rd Sunday at 11 a.m.; 2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays at 8 a.m.

Matins every Sunday at 11 a.m.
Evening every Sunday at 7.30 p.m.
Choir practice at 8.20 p.m. Friday Night.

A. D. CURRIE, Incumbent.

Fall Rye Has Many Advantages

Do Not Pay Too Much for Seed, However.

In last week's "Market Examiner," appears a very interesting article by Mr. P. S. Grisdale, Principal of Our School of Agriculture, on fall rye planting.

The section regarding the price to be paid for fall rye is of very interesting, especially as this section of the country has been flooded with circulars advocating a certain kind of rye at a high price.

Fall rye has been successfully grown through this district for a number of years past, and there should be no need for anyone who requires seed to go out of the district for it. The article, in part, is as follows:

From the work with the late requirements of some of the crops all over in 1920 it will be observed that winter rye shows up very well. This is possibly in an account of growing in the cool of the fall and spring when transpiration is reduced. Moreover, the fall rye attains its maximum development when the number of hours of sunshine is longest, and therefore at a time when the greatest photosynthesis takes place. A further point is that fall rye stands in the ground and grows for a longer period than most crops, and, as a result, utilizes a greater proportion of the annual precipitation.

Fall rye forms a covering over the ground and prevents evaporation of the soil moisture. It also prevents soil drifting in the fall, winter and early spring.

It chokes out weeds by growing up quickly in the summer after it is sown, and again in the early spring.

Fall rye very seldom suffers severe injury from rust. This is because the fall rye attains its maximum development when the number of hours of sunshine is longest, and therefore at a time when the greatest photosynthesis takes place.

It suffers very little injury from worms and other insects. These insects may attack the crop to some extent, but rarely, if ever, destroy it. It is one crop that suffers very little from early fall frosts in central Alberta.

It furnishes very good pasture in the fall and spring months when other pastures are very poor.

By having winter rye as well as other grains the man on the land finds himself in a position to do a maximum amount of work with his outfit of power machinery and help. It distributes the seedling and harvest seasons over a long period of time, and enables a man to do his own work with the least possible amount of extra help.

In a cropping system that includes winter rye, greater security is insured against loss than in the case where it is not grown. Rye grows vigorously during May and June, and may produce a fair crop in a season when summer drought ruins spring sown grains.

The average annual provincial production of fall rye per acre is from two to three bushels more than the best production of wheat.

Fall rye may be cut for hay when feed is scarce. It cut early for hay it springs up a second time, and gives good pasture or a second crop of hay.

Winter rye sells for a price that is about par with the price paid for durum wheat. Winter rye is also of very high feeding value for live stock. In this respect it compares favorably with barley.

Objections Advanced Against Fall Rye
There are two objections advanced against the growing of winter rye. They are that the rye is likely to get mixed with the wheat on farms where wheat is grown, and seriously reduce its grade; and that the crop in the grain and straw will cause losses when stock are fed on it. These are both minor objections that can be avoided, the former through the use of a proper rotation, and the latter through the use of a rotation and careful seed selection.

Seed and Varieties
In growing fall rye care should be exercised in selecting seed. Seed that is well adapted, clean and free from weeds, should be sown. The results from the variety tests with fall rye at this station show conclusively that no variety has any greater susceptibility to hardiness or yielding qualities over any other. The main point to consider is that the seed must be sound.

The following table gives the results of the tests with fall rye varieties at this station in 1920:

Variety	Yield per acre
Reson (Minnesota)	57 bushels
Common (Bristol)	55.5 bushels
Destiny (Bristol)	54.5 bushels
Reson (Noble)	57 bushels

Irricana News

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian Church will hold a meeting on Wednesday, September 27th for the purpose of electing new officers.

Mr. G. McCulloch is making arrangements for the building of a new house. Harvesting weather has been all that could be desired. Much of the wheat has already been cut and some of the farmers are beginning to thresh their wheat.

Mrs. Grace and Marie Hardin left for Vancouver, Washington, Mrs. Hardin and Mr. Virginia Hardin accompanied them to Calgary.

Officers are being made to have a great deal in Irricana. We sincerely hope that the villagers as well as the farmers of this vicinity will do all they can to aid the installing of this concern in Irricana. We want to see our village grow and we believe it will be a great benefit to all in settling food and their art, more reasonable prices.

Mr. Percy Italian took a flight in his airplane on Tuesday.

Mr. J. J. Ewing, vice-president, and Mr. A. C. Scratch, secretary of the U.P.A. executive, were in Calgary on Wednesday evening attending a meeting of the Labor organization in connection with political affairs.

According to reports the potato crop in Ontario has been almost a complete failure. Why worry? If the potatoes all over Alberta are as good as in this district, Alberta will have plenty for home consumption, and Ontario too.

Mrs. Wm. Kernick and children, of Calgary, were visitors of Miss M. Kernick and Mrs. Ewing this week.

Miss Margaret Ramsey and Miss Edith Newcomb have returned to Calgary after spending a week at Cloverdale Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wright have returned to their home in Worcester, Mass. after spending a month at the farm of Wright and Bond.

Mr. Carleton Bond, who has been visiting the farm of Wright and Bond, this summer, has returned to her home in the east.

Miss Gertrude Bulver who has been the guest of Mr. Hugh Miller during the school vacation, returned to Calgary on Sunday.

Mr. Burke, of the Bank of Commerce staff has been transferred to Warner, Alta.

Miss Beatrice Bishop has returned to her home in Edmonton.

A well attended meeting of the U.P.A. and the U.F.W.A. was held at the home of Mr. G. S. Welton on Saturday evening.

The U.F.W.A. has erected swings and benches on the school playground which will be very much appreciated. Mr. Jack Turner has returned to the village.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE OF FARM PROPERTY

Pursuant to the Judgment and final Order for Sale made in a certain action in the Supreme Court of Alberta, Judicial District of Calgary, as No. 10,002, there will be offered for sale with the approval of this Court, Public Auction, at the Post Office, the Town of Strathmore, in the Province of Alberta at 12 o'clock noon, on Saturday, the 30th day of September, A.D. 1921, by A. Layzell, Auctioneer, the following lands and premises:

The West Half and South East Quarter of Section 22 in Township 24, Range 26, and the 4th Meridian, in the Province of Alberta.

The Vendor is informed that the property consists of 475 acres more or less, situated about 5 miles from Calgary, and 1 1/2 miles from Lethbridge. On the property are the following improvements: Granary 16 x 12 and 3 miles of fencing, 275 acres thereof is good rough land. The soil is chocolate brown with clay subsoil, and 210 acres have been cultivated.

The property will be sold subject to reserve bid fixed by the Court, to the taxes for the current year, and to the reserves contained in the original grant from the Crown or appearing on the existing Certificate of Title.

TERMS OF SALE: 10 per cent. deposit at the time of sale, 15 per cent. within sixty days thereafter without interest, and the balance in three equal instalments in one two and three years from the date of the sale, with interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum, or at the option of the purchaser, the whole amount may be paid within 60 days without interest.

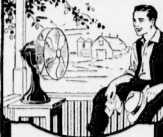
Further particulars will be made known at the time of the sale or may be had from Lenz, Mackay & Mann, 205 Grain Exchange Building, Calgary, Alberta, Solicitors for the Vendor.

Dated at Calgary, Alberta, this 23rd day of August, A.D. 1921.

Approved C.A.S., M.C.

A. G. A. CLOWES, Clerk in Chambers

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during the hot summer days and nights—you will enjoy better health and more restful work.

DELCO-LIGHT

will operate an electric fan, chair, cream separator, or washing machine. It will supply all the light you require about the farm. Delco-Light is the most simple electric lighting plant made. Any farmer can operate it. Pays for itself in a short time. Ask to see it work.

ROLAND HILL



Threshing and Machine Belts

Repaired and Vulcanized

Fire Repairs, Retreading and Vulcanizing Work of every kind.

WEST & FORBES

FIRST STREET STRATHMORE

ADVERTISE!

One of the most persistent advertisers in the history of success was Robinson Crusoe. He knew what he wanted—a ship—and he put up an ad for it. He flung a shirt on a pole, at the top of his island; that, in the language of the sea, was plain to every sea-faring man.

"The circulation was small—there was no other medium—but Crusoe kept at it, despite the fact that he got no enquiries for a long time. He changed his copy—as one parchment after another frayed out—and in the end he got what he wanted.

"Suppose Crusoe had taken down that signal after a time and declared 'Advertising doesn't pay.' Where would he and his story be now?

"Put up your signal and keep it there. Crusoe advertised under very discouraging circumstances. You've got a sure thing—it is only necessary to have the patience, persistence, and pluck of Robinson Crusoe—and the good ship 'Better Business' will tie up 'longside your pier."

PREPARE

for the HARVEST

WE ARE PREPARED TO SUPPLY
YOUR WANTS IN HARVEST
CLOTHING

OVERALLS	\$2.25
GLOVES	25c to \$4.00
SHOES	\$4.00 to \$8.00
SOX	\$2.00 to \$1.25
UNDERWEAR, Per Suit	\$1.25 to \$6.50
PANTS	\$2.50 to \$8.00
HATS, CAPS, BRACES, BELTS Etc.	
EVERYTHING YOU MAY NEED	
MANY PRICES CUT TO THE BONE	

E. DOBSON
STRATHMORE

PIONEER MEAT MARKET

So far as we are concerned the High Cost of living is a thing of the past. Our prices on Beef is now as low as any time before the war, and the quality the very best.

SNAITH & GARDNER

King Edward Hotel, Strathmore

Commercial Headquarters, Good Sample Rooms
Steam Heat, Clean and Sanitary Rooms
Suites and Rooms for Rent by Day, Week or Month.
Hall for Rent for Meetings, etc.

Arthur Westmorland, Manager.

STRATHMORE MEAT MARKET

We have a nice selection of Prime Beef, Pork, Lamb, Etc., Etc. on hand and can serve you right all the time.

We are in the same position to supply threshing and harvesting outfits as last year and will be pleased to quote prices.

STRATHMORE MEAT MARKET
BOORTZ AND McDONALD

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Terms—Small or transient advts. cash with order. Contract ad. accounts due 1st of month following insertion. Changes of advertisements must reach this office not later than noon each Monday.
Notices of entertainments, meetings, sales etc., at which admission is charged, articles sold, or a collection taken, with the exception of actual church services, will be charged for at regular advertising rates.

The Publisher is not responsible for opinions expressed by correspondents.

Strathmore, Alberta, August 31st, 1921

VACANT LOTS

In every town and city throughout Western Canada lots are reverting to the Municipal authorities because the owners cannot pay the taxes. This is a natural result of the single tax system of taxation, whereby vacant lots are rated at the same amount as lots carrying buildings.

The single tax has served its purpose in preventing speculation in real estate, but it has also led to a lot of good land being held out of use. So long as the taxes on a lot 25 x 130 feet are \$20 or over per year, they will be difficult to sell except for actual building purposes. Again, the owner of a house cannot afford to have much ground around it owing to the taxes he would have to pay.

It has been suggested that to encourage the production of garden stuff, etc., on these lots that the town give leases of the ground for a term of years at a sum of about \$5.00 per lot per year. The lease would be given on the condition that the ground was kept in good shape and clear of weeds, that it would be subject to cancellation in the event of a purchaser appearing for the land, but that the leaseholder would have the first chance of buying.

A scheme of this kind, if carried into effect, would improve the appearance of the town, increase production, and bring some revenue into the town's coffers.

RETURNED MEN AND THEIR PROBLEMS

Last week we made some reference in this column to the unemployment problem, as it was affecting the returned men this winter. The following is a continuation of these remarks:

The Canadian Pacific Railway has shown a true spirit in dealing with returned men, and as a result there is little or no unemployment problem in Strathmore. The Company have always since the war shown a preference for men who have been overseas, and the men have appreciated that and given the Company the best that is in them, and have co-operated with the community at large, as witness the erection of the Memorial Hall.

Two returned men have started up restaurants in Strathmore, and both have failed to continue in business. The last one, Alex Lyall, sold out to a Chinaman, claiming that he had dropped \$1,000 since he came here. At the same time four other restaurants, operated by men of varying nationalities, are in business here, and apparently making good. Of course there are faults to be found in the returned men, and it is not for us to say that we owe them something. But as the poet says:

"Be to their faults a little blind, and to their virtues very kind."

Another thing. If you find a man who poses as a returned man peddling from door to door and soliciting business on his record, refer him to the local branch of the G. W. V. A. The local men are not encouraging this sort of thing, and the bona fides of the peddlers, book agents, etc., are often in question.

SOMETHING FOR THE WINTER

Within the next three months we will be in the grip of winter, that is, unless we happen to be among the fortunate ones who can adjourn to California or Florida, or those other points where Jack Frost is not a visitor. However, not a great number of our readers will be in that class this winter.

For the great majority of us who stay home and enjoy the healthy winter atmosphere in the prairie, what is there for us to do outside of our ordinary round of toil, baseball, football, tennis, etc., all out of the question. The three sports in which the winter of Alberta is specially suited are skating, hockey, and curling. The two former give us the healthy exercise which the young man or woman needs, and curling provides an old and recreation for the young and old. Strathmore has every year so far a temporary skating rink, but before outdoor skating is in the air, chances, its operation has been irregular and unsatisfactory. It would cost something between \$7,000 and \$10,000 to erect a full size curling and skating rink. The cost is considerable, but the risk would assume a healthy outlet for the activities of all, and the revenue would pay the upkeep and depreciation. In a number of towns and municipal districts throughout the west these rinks have been built by debentures, raised by towns and municipalities on the basis of the district within an eight mile radius of the rink. This plan is very feasible here, with an intensively settled district and a content population to ensure a revenue. We commend the idea of the Town and Rural Municipality, but the preliminary steps will have to be taken. One of the risks is to be in operation this winter. It may be too late to proceed with a debenture plan for a closed rink this coming winter, but an endeavor should be made to provide adequate skating and curling accommodations very early if it is outdoor.

North Sydney, N.S.—The new five mile cable from Heart's Content, Newfoundland to North Sydney, has been completed with the arrival here of the steamer Colville, which has been laying the cable from the Newfoundland station in this direction.

Vancouver, B.C.—The Department of Naval Affairs has decided the installation of a very powerful continuous wave system wireless station near Vancouver to undertake long work and communicate with distant points up coast, thus leaving the present station at Point Grey in handicapped position. The new station is to be situated on the site of the old one, and will be in operation this winter.

September 1st

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WANT ADVTs. PAY

In a great measure the commercial standing of a town is reckoned according to the number and value of its business enterprises; its moral standing, according to the number and power of its institutions, exerting a good influence as opposed to those exerting a bad. These things being true, it should be the extent of the efforts of a place to encourage such new enterprises as tend in any way to make the place better; for a town is greatly what its citizens make it, nothing more, nothing less.

—Kindersley Clarion

ANOTHER GREAT FIGHT

"Like human beings," says a regular botanical note, "flowers have their likes and dislikes and vent their displeasure in no uncertain manner upon their victims." I am qualified completely for a casual list.

With a thorn in every finger and a dozen in the wrist.

Several scars on my proboscis will be permanent, I fear.

And a goodly fragment's missing from the tip of either ear.

While my corrugated countenance forbids me to ignore.

That Frederick the Rambler doesn't love me any more.

We sit something too aggressive in my manner of attack.

(When, on Phyllis's injunction, I began to lean back)

Made him look on my endeavors with so unkind an air.

Made him lacerate my cuticle and clutch me by the hair.

Made him generally give me every reason to deplore.

That Frederick the Rambler doesn't love me any more?

Not his to boast beforehand his ability to win.

But he cut me on the forehead and he hooked me on the chin;

He feinted with a sucker and he landed with his left.

And his jabbing in the clutches was exceedingly deft.

In short, the points were limitless that he contrived to score.

When Frederick the Rambler ceased to love me any more.

For the future I am leaving horticultural employ.

To those who deem that danger is a hobby to enjoy;

Something harmless (like a tiger) I am now resolved to keep;

Half-savagery lays the mower and the roller's keep cheap;

For my pleasure is a burden and the rockery a bore.

Now that Frederick the Rambler does n't love me any more.

—Punch, London

Montreal, Que.—The port of Montreal is handling a huge flood of profit this year, almost double that for the same last year. To the end of June over 31,000,000 bushels had been brought down the lakes to the port, the average during July alone being 19,000,000 bushels. It is now certain that a new record for shipment will be established.

† King Edward Hotel

Doctors Help Red Cross

At the annual meeting of the Alberta Medical Association recently held in Calgary, it was decided that twenty-five per cent of the usual fee will be charged in future in the treatment of cases which are supported by the Junior Red Cross organization. This decision was reached after the reading of a letter from the Alberta branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society by Dr. O'Callaghan, of Calgary. The decision was unanimous.

The letter read by Dr. O'Callaghan set forth what the Junior Red Cross was doing in the province. It pointed out that there are over fifteen thousand children enrolled in the society, each of whom has to earn his or her membership fee and any other money which goes to carry on their work. Their efforts, stated the letter, are entirely concentrated on helping sick and crippled children where parents can afford to give them proper medical treatment. Every case is thoroughly investigated.

The Medical men were told that over fifty children had already been treated in this way and some wonderful cures recorded. It was further explained that every cent of money which the children contribute is spent on their patients—all the administrative expenses are borne by the senior organization. In the past many of the doctors have been doing this work free of charge, some for half fees and some for full fees. It was thought better to get a rule as to what should be charged.

Saskatoon, Sask.—Saskatoon district will employ almost as many harvesters as Southern Saskatchewan, Alberta and Manitoba put together, according to M. J. McArthur, superintendent of the Government employment bureau here. He states that work can be found for ten to fifteen thousand harvest hands in the district. Approximately two thousand harvesters from Saskatchewan cities have already left for the farms.

Winnipeg, Man.—Winnipeg's official population is within 567 of the 200,000 mark, following a net increase of 2,516 since January 1, according to the city hall records. The last assessment figures show a population of 198,937, but 2,222 births and 1,156 deaths occurred this year, leaving the net increase of 2,516.

Premier Drury

Takes a Holiday

Does Not go to a Summer Resort But Like a Man Works in the Harvest Field.

There are many empty chairs in front of executive desks for short periods during the "dog days." Few have earned the right to sit aside the reins of office for a few days more than Ontario's premier, whose hours have been long, duties many and responsibilities heavy since he was rather prominently placed at the head of the provincial government. But when Mr. Drury left his office for a couple of days last week he did not go to the lakes or the seaside but to his own farm at Green Hill and the post that day there is with a pitchfork.

His Premier Drury forgotten and he played hayfield golf. "Really," Mr. Drury said last week, "I am a farmer and a chivalrous hand, and after spending most of the morning on some rough ground hay bunks, we got down to form and pitched up eighteen holes before he called it a game. Next morning he finished the hay bunks by looking up another eight holes. And that was not the end of the morning's work. It was only noon when he had to go to agricultural union rules to see if they applied. A wheat match started early after lunch and the premier finished strong with a total of twelve loads.

When a man can pitch thirty loads of hay and grain in two days (or rather a day and a half, more or less) after many weeks of indulgence in the strenuous of public life while opponents in the political, or any other ring, had better prepare for a long hard contest. And if there comes defeat—and at the mention of the word the premier smiled broadly and said, "barned on a brother agriculturalist and politician (not the forgotten 'wheat'—why, we farmers always have a job, even if we do lose a couple of thousand dollars on a season's efforts as I am doing on my farm this year."

Regina, Sask.—Soldier settlers in Saskatchewan are making "good." There are now fifty-five settlers on the Pilot Reserve and these men have an average of seventy-five acres each cultivated this year. There are more than 2,200 acres in crop and 3,000 additional acres broken. The soldiers are enthusiastic regarding crop prospects and anticipate a thirty-five bushel yield.

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INCREASE SHOWN ALL

ROUND IN POPULATION LONDON.—The population of British islands adjacent to the United Kingdom is 299,704, it was announced yesterday. Because of the disturbed conditions in Ireland, no census figures were compiled there.

The population of the Indian continent is 219,075,132, an increase of 1.2 per cent; of the Union of South Africa, 1,521,775, an increase of 19.2 per cent; of Australia, excluding aborigines, 5,626,000, an increase of 21.8 per cent; and of New Zealand excluding the Maoris, 1,213,270, an increase of 20.8 per cent.

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Quite a number of Calgary people attended the Vets dance in the Memorial Hall on Friday evening, and while the roads are good it makes a good outing for Calgarians to come down here, attend the dance, and go home in the early hours.

Mrs. W. E. Phinney is at present visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Phinney and family moved last week from Vermilion, B.C., where they have been located for the last two years, to Rocky Mountain House, Alberta, where Mr. Phinney has secured a position.

Mr. Harry Tompkins returned last weekend from Western B.C., having spent his holidays in the Lake district.

Mr. John C. Buckley, new member for the constituency in the Provincial House, was in Strathmore on a visit on Saturday and we understand was present at a meeting with other officials of the C.P.R. in passing on the election accounts and squaring up the business of this election generally. Mr. Buckley reports that the new government is getting down to work, and that they are desirous of practicing economy in every particular, and will cut out any favoritism or special privileges that may have been practiced by the former administration. He says it may be necessary to hold a special session to deal with the distressed conditions of many parts of southern Alberta where crops have again failed. Mr. Buckley states that his own crop is now cut, and that he expects a yield of between 25 and 30 bushels per acre on his wheat, which is very satisfactory. To be elected on M.P. and make a big crop in the same year is a distinct evidence of achievement.

Local Notings

OF LOCAL INTEREST
Readers are requested to send in items for this column not later than 12 o'clock Monday noon preceding day of publication. All local news items are welcomed by the Standard, Phone 17 or 68.

Duck shooting opens tomorrow, and there are prospects that the ducks will be in the rifle for the opening, and the numbers will be augmented by shooters from Calgary and other points.

Strathmore G.W.V.A. are holding another of their series of popular dances in the Memorial Hall on the evening of Labor Day, September 3. Music will be supplied by the Glenlivet orchestra, and a good time is assured.

Labor Day, September 3, is a statutory public holiday, and all stores and places of business will be closed. The receipt of \$25 from Mr. J. H. Voochess towards the Memorial Hall building fund is herewith acknowledged.

School reopens tomorrow.

Nightgale Horticultural Fair opens this afternoon, and we trust a large number of Strathmore people will be present to deal with the distressed conditions of many parts of southern Alberta where crops have again failed. Mr. Buckley states that his own crop is now cut, and that he expects a yield of between 25 and 30 bushels per acre on his wheat, which is very satisfactory. To be elected on M.P. and make a big crop in the same year is a distinct evidence of achievement.

English Lutheran services will be conducted at the Presbyterian Church on Sunday, September 10th, at 1 p.m. Sunday School will follow immediately after services. A. Holzer, pastor.

Dr. F. R. Edmunds, dentist, will be at the King Edward Hotel Monday and Tuesday of next week as usual, 25-26.

A Pantry and Appliance Sale will be held by the Ladies Auxiliary G.W.V.A. on Saturday, September 3, at 2 p.m. at the Memorial Hall. Afternoon tea and candy booth etc. 25-26.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Way. Mother and child are doing well.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Kehler on 25th inst. Both mother and child are doing well.

Mr. W. B. Heron, manager of Strathmore Telephone Exchange, leaves shortly to take charge of the Father's Exchange. Mr. Heron has been prominent in baseball and hockey, and he and Mrs. Heron will be missed. His place is being taken by Mr. McFarland, of Taber. Mr. McFarland is also a good hockey player and will be an acquisition to the team. He has been a member of the Taber team. Mr. A. B. Foote has rented Mr. Heron's house in Strathmore.

Mr. Fred M. Brown, of Adams, Ont., who has been interested north of Nightingale, is spending a few days in the district looking over his crop, which has been handled by Mr. E. M. Stoodley.

The death took place on August 24th at the General Hospital, Calgary, of James, the three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Inkster, Nanaka. The funeral took place at 3 p.m. on August 25, at Chas. F. Turner's Parlors, Strathmore. Many sympathy is felt with the parents in their untimely bereavement.

We have a note from Mr. D. J. Dooh, formerly of Beach and Fox, Strathmore, and now at Eskine, remarking that some are very fair up in Eskine district, and sends his regards to Strathmore.

We have mailed copies of the Strathmore Telephone Directory to each phone subscriber from this date. If you do not receive your copy, call in and get one. We have few left in case any calling is at once. The first contains about 24 names, a large number being names recently added to the rural exchange.

While Mr. J. G. Bell was returning from attending the funeral at the late Mr. McLaughlin on Thursday, a car came home in his steering gear while negotiating the Chevreton Lake. The car ran into the ditch and overturned. While the car was considerably damaged, it is fortunate that none of the occupants were injured, beyond some abrasions.

The Canadian Pacific Railway And Its Young President

A noteworthy tribute to the Canadian Pacific Railway and its president is paid in an article which appeared recently in the London Times. A review of the Canadian railway situation leads to the conclusion that at least one of the main planks in the program of the C.P.R. is the American railway and the responsibility of the chief of the company, which Mr. Beatty has succeeded.

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Singapore Sliced Pineapple, 2 1/2's 30c
Quaker Pumpkin, 2's 2 for 45c

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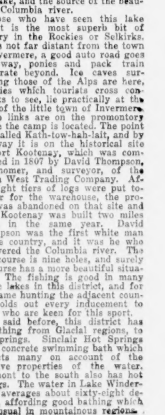
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After examination at Strathmore on Tuesday, a farmer near Carleton Place, Ont., was supplied with a horse and cart and ordered to the Alberta Asylum at Ponoka.

Mrs. McComb, of Calgary, is at present visiting her sister Mrs. W. Marshall.



ARE SPECULATORS BUSY?

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Many millions of bushels of last year's Western Grain are still warehoused at the head of the lakes or in interior elevators. There is no great need that it be moved so that the new crop may not be obstructed en route to the water. Are speculators holding grain for an expected rise in prices, endangering transportation facilities? —Toronto Globe.

Carp Review: Many merchants and business men pursue a "penny wise and pound foolish" course in failing to advertise in their home paper which is read in practically every home in the territory from which their trade is drawn. A modest space in every issue with crisp wording, and prices as articles advertised quoted whenever desirable, will pay every merchant or business man tenfold and proof can be had in a brief trial.

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Must The Small Town Go?

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Last Saturday's issue of the Farmer's Sun has an editorial note of last a column entitled "The Small Towns Go Under." The Sun states that "unless the tendency towards centralization is soon stopped, Toronto will supplant the very life-blood of the province." It is passing strange that in view of this statement the Farmer's Sun is every week urging by its advertisements the very thing it would lead us to believe it deplores. Take, for instance the advt. of The United Farmers Co-operative Co. Limited, soliciting business from all the small towns of the province, and urging the very life-blood of all the small towns which is so necessary to their existence. This centralization of purchasing cannot but result in lessening the value of property in all those small towns and incidentally taking away from the farmer the convenience of a ready market at his door for his produce. In fact it means further because the reduced value of property in unimproved towns cannot help but bring down the selling value of the farms contiguous to the town.

Departmental store buying does the same thing. Every dollar sent to a departmental store both by the farmer and the townman helps to make it more difficult for the town storekeeper to carry on complete and varied stock as he would if assured that the trade in his district would come to him or his neighbor in the town. We are quite often met with the exclamation by departmental store buyers that "I can buy more cheaply from the country store than I can from the city store; why should I pay more and buy at home?" The reason this impression is prevalent cannot be laid at the door of anyone but the town merchant himself—he don't let the people know through advertising just what goods he has on his shelves and the great advantage of town business men is not quite prices. Times without number we have heard of an article being bought from the city store at a certain rate price while the town merchant had on his shelves a superior article at the same, and in many cases, a lower price. The trouble was he did not let it be known and if he did, no notice was quoted.

The country press has come to the point where it would be small to small newspaper take up some public matter, and demand action, they get it the metropolitan dailies to the contrary notwithstanding.

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Municipal District of Bow Valley No. 219.

TAKE NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that certain lands in the Municipal District of Bow Valley, No. 219, were sold under the provisions of the Tax Recovery Act on November 20th, 1921, and that the time at which the period of redemption on such lands provided by the law will expire on November 20th, 1921, and that a list of such lands can be seen in the Alberta Gazette of August 21st, 1921.
Dated this 22nd day of August 1921 at Strathmore, Alberta.
W. G. WAY,
Secretary-Treasurer

Municipal District of Bow Valley No. 219.

TAKE NOTICE

I have taken over the Star Restaurant from Mr. A. Lantz on Saturday, August 26, and will only be responsible for debts contracted by the business after that date. Any accounts that may be owing prior to that date must be presented to Mr. T. M. Weas, Barrister.

MAH YUK
Municipal District of Bow Valley No. 219.

TAKE NOTICE

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